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Group Art Unit 3637 )  
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**REQUEST FOR STATUS**

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Sir:

On March 19, 2004 a utility patent application was filed in the above-referenced action. A copy of the return postcard which accompanied the application is attached, evidencing receipt of the utility patent application. On June 3, 2004, Applicant received a Filing Receipt and Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application in the above-captioned matter. On June 23, 2004 Applicant filed a Response to Notice to File Missing Parts and an Assignment. Applicant received an Updated Filing Receipt on July 22, 2004 and the Notice of Recordation of Recordation of Assignment Document on December 30, 2004 from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Applicant's attorney has received no further communication from the Patent and Trademark Office. Applicant respectfully requests a communication from the Patent and Trademark Office concerning this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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